

SHELL EGGS: Weekly Shell Egg Inventory (Mon) Agricultural Marketing Service

Livestock, Poultry & Grain Market News

Weekly Shell Egg Inventory:

Stocks on Hand Available for Marketing (30-dozen cases in thousands) ^{/1} (Includes Conventional and Specialty)

		Northeast	Southeast	Midwest	South Central	Southwest	Northwest	6-Area Total
Jumbo	This Week	7.5	9.3	16.9	7.4	6.5	4.2	51.8
	% Change	-0.1%	13.8%	13.5%	-8.7%	-2.1%	73.8%	8.5%
Extra Large	This Week	33.8	20.7	40.3	20.1	34.1	9.9	158.8
	% Change	5.4%	4.7%	17.3%	9.2%	1.2%	24.8%	8.7%
Large	This Week	74.6	117.3	128.4	86.7	79.8	57.0	543.7
	% Change	14.1%	9.0%	-8.5%	8.1%	4.4%	67.7%	7.9%
Medium	This Week	22.8	16.7	51.4	27.6	24.4	9.0	151.9
	% Change	2.8%	18.5%	10.1%	26.3%	-6.1%	4.4%	9.0%
Small	This Week	4.3	2.5	10.3	3.7	1.6	2.0	24.4
	% Change	25.3%	-32.0%	-6.2%	22.4%	3.1%	18.1%	0.2%
Miscellaneous	This Week	2.4	15.5	20.7	16.5	4.5	1.4	61.0
	% Change	0.4%	10.1%	-6.6%	-5.7%	3.7%	-7.4%	-1.6%
Ungraded	This Week	6.8	18.0	62.9	25.7	15.3	13.3	142.2
	% Change	12.7%	-23.6%	22.4%	5.8%	-8.1%	142.9%	11.5%
Total Shell Egg	This Week	152.1	200.1	330.9	187.8	166.2	96.7	1,133.8
	% Change	9.5%	4.7%	3.1%	8.3%	0.5%	57.1%	7.9%

Totals	Cases	Percent Change	
Shell Egg	1,133.8	7.9%	
Breaking Stock	258.1	2.6%	
Total Shell Egg	1,391.9	6.8%	

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Stocks on Hand to be Marketed as Specialty (30-dozen cases in thousands)

		Northeast	Southeast	Midwest	South Central	Southwest	Northwest	6-Area Total
Large	This Week	10.0	29.2	6.8	5.1	3.9	4.0	59.0
	% Change	-1.5%	-5.0%	18.3%	6.4%	22.1%	72.2%	3.6%
Ungraded	This Week	0.0	0.0	30.2	7.6	2.2	0.0	40.0
	% Change	0.0%	0.0%	11.1%	-15.7%	0.0%	-100.0%	-1.9%
Total Specialt	y This Week	10.0	29.2	37.0	12.7	6.1	4.0	99.0
	% Change	-1.5%	-5.0%	12.4%	-8.0%	13.0%	-14.8%	1.3%

Large: 23.6% Ungraded: 70.4%

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Percentage of Specialty Shell Egg Inventory Comprised of USDA Certified Organic:

Total: 42.5%

1/ Cooperators normally have stocks on hand each Monday A.M. and must report in both the current and previous week. This is a representative sample of the U.S. inventory and includes eggs packed for export when in cooperator's coolers.

Regional Definitions: Northeast = CT, DE, MA, MD, ME, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, and VT; Southeast = AL, FL, GA, MS, NC, SC, TN, VA, and WV;

Midwest = IA, IL, IN, KY, MI, MN, ND, NE, OH, SD, and WI; South Central = AR, AZ, CO, KS, LA, MO, NM, OK, TX, and UT;

Southwest = CA and NV; Northwest = ID, MT, OR, WA, and WY.

^{2/} Specialty eggs include certified organic, nutritionally enhanced, cage-free, and vegetarian-fed types.